

Superintendents' Advisory Council

Kentucky Department of Education

June 8, 2020

1:00 p.m. EST

Roll Call of Members

- Please...
 - unmute your mic,
 - enable your camera, and
 - respond once your name is called.

Agenda

1. Welcome (Kevin C. Brown, Interim Commissioner, Kentucky Department of Education)
2. School Health Update (Angela McDonald, Office of Finance & Operations—Division of District Support)
3. Re-entry Guidance: Teaching and Learning Stage 1 (Krista Hall & Misty Higgins, Office of Teaching and Learning—Division of Academic Program Standards)
4. Needs Sensing Survey (Hannah Poquette, Office of the Commissioner)
5. Feedback from Superintendent Webcast (Dr. Kelly Foster, Associate Commissioner, Office of Continuous Improvement and Support & Robin Kinney, Associate Commissioner, Office of Finance and Operations)
6. Adjournment (Kevin C. Brown, Interim Commissioner)



Welcome

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Kevin C. Brown, Interim Commissioner

Kentucky Department of Education



School Health Update

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Angela McDonald

Office of Finance & Operations

Division of District Support

Guiding Question:

How are school nurses across Kentucky preparing for the 2020-21 school year?

Re-entry Guidance: Teaching and Learning Stage 1

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Krista Hall & Misty Higgins

Office of Teaching and Learning

Division of Academic Program Standards

Guiding Question:

What supports might leadership provide to teachers as they work through the process of drafting an adjusted curriculum for the 2020-21 school year?

Needs Sensing Survey

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Hannah Poquette

Office of the Commissioner
Strategic Planning and Research

Guiding Question:

What are effective ways to reach and communicate with superintendents, principals, teachers and families about KDE's needs sensing surveys to garner the most effective feedback possible?

Survey Project Overview

- **Purpose:**

- Systematically learn about needs occurring across the state due to the COVID-19 crisis.
- Not used for any kind of evaluation or for accountability purposes.

- **Objectives:**

- Ensure KDE work is aligned to need and prioritized effectively
- Engage partners in effectively

- **Survey audiences:**

- Superintendents
- Principals
- Teachers
- Parents/families

Survey Topics

- Policy development/adjustment
- Trauma-informed approaches
- Social/Emotional Learning and Supports
- Information Technology
- Distance Learning
- Assessments/diagnostics
- Family engagement and communication

Anticipated Survey Schedule

- Superintendent – weeks of 6/8 – 6/15
- Teacher – week of 6/8 – 6/15
- Parent – week of 6/15 – 6/22
- Principal – week of 6/15 – 6/22
- Please encourage those who receive them to submit responses.

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Feedback from Superintendent Webcast

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Dr. Kelly Foster, Associate Commissioner

Office of Continuous Improvement and Support

Robin Kinney, Associate Commissioner

Office of Finance and Operations

Guiding Question:

What is your top concern as you make plans for the reopening of schools in the fall?

Instruction, Funding and Attendance SY 2020-2021

Instruction

MODELS

- In-person
- Remote
- Blended

GOALS

- Quality/Opportunity and Access
- Flexibility

Attendance and Funding Goals

- Temporary
- Explainable
- Flexible
- Predictable
- Verifiable – In-person and remote
- Ultimately, does not incentivize or discourage decisions for in-person or remote instruction

Funding

- Attendance
 - ½ day and whole day
 - Performance-based
 - Non-traditional instruction
- Transportation
- Growth

Logistics

- Infinite Campus
- Training
- SAAR/SEEK systems

Questions or Comments

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Future Meeting

Next Meeting:
June 22